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Sir:

Responsive to the First Office Action mailed October 11, 2000, Paper Number 10, and the official interview of November 15, 2000, please amend, without prejudice or disclaimer to the underlying subject matter, the above-identified patent application as follows:

## In the Continuing Data:

Please have the continuing data indicate that:

-- THIS APPLICATION IS A DIVISION OF 07/832,335 FILED 02/07/1992.--

In the Claims:

Please amend claims 83-99 as follows:

-- %3. (Amended) A laser readable disc for use in conjunction with a playback apparatus having a random access capability and a <u>plurality of control functions</u> for selectively